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BOX MISSING PARTS Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Application(s) hereby petition(s) pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated November 28, 2000.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501169. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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